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SUBJECT.

Food Supply arrangements.

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To
Messrs Doddiah & Thimmiah
No G 17491 dy 29-1-20
States that their prayer cannot be ~~Complied~~ granted

To The Food Controller.
G 17492 dy 29-1-20
Reg for a copy of the above

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FILE HEADING.

Food Supply arrangements

From

Messrs Doddaiah & Thammaiah - Proprietors of Sri Kasivisvanatha Rice Mill - Nagamangala

No. - Dated 9. 1. 1920 Received 13/17. 1. 20.

Diary No. 122	34	Enclos. -	Spare Copies. -	Serial No. 221

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Pray for compensation being paid to them for the loss sustained by them in their contract to supply rice to the Nagamangala Municipality.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

The petitioners made a similar representation in June last & G.O.N° G 2482-3/P.P 134-18-669 & 30th July 1919 issued in the matter gives the facts of the case fully -

NOTES—First Sheet.

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Regarding the several points refd. to in the petn., refee is invited to the marginal remarks of the Accountant Genl. dt. 6.7.1919 - (in file P. P 134-18, fls 6 29 ~~2 nos~~).

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20/1/20

An Endorsement may be given to the petitioner ~~that~~ on the lines contained in the Govt. order dt. 30th July 19 (Flag 5)

MK
21/1/20

chief sec?)

DEWAN'S OFFICE.
Recd. on JAN 24 1920
Reg. No. 4986

The matter received full consideration before orders were passed. There are no grounds to reopen the matter.

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Meanwhile a brief Endt may

Draft Endt put up
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CHIEF SECRETARIAT
II
POLITICAL BRANCH.
30 JAN. 1920.

Pray for Compensation for the loss sustained by them in their Contract to supply rice to the Mysore City Municipality.

By Regd. Post
13.1.20.

DEWAN:
Date of Receipt 18/1
Petn. Regr. No 828

From

Doddiah and C. Thimmiah,

Proprietors, Sri Kasivisvanatha Rice Mill Company,

Mysore.

Chief Secty.
18171 Dy.
18.
16/1/20.

To

DIARY NO. 12234

The Dewan Sahib in Mysore,

Bangalore.

19-1-20
SECTION OO
FILE NO. 6-19
221

Sir,

The petitioners beg to bring to your kind notice the fact that the Food Controller and the President of the Mysore City Muni-cipality induced them to enter into a contract with the Govern-ment to supply 10,000 pallas of rice, assuring them that the Government had issued orders so that the ryots could sell paddy to the Government Contractors at the fixed rates of only Rs.9-8-0 a candy; and they took from them a deposit of Rs. 10,000/-. Re-lying upon their assurances, the petitioners went to the villages to purchase padde and on enquiry were sadly disappointed to find that the Government had instructed the ryots by beat of tom-tom not to sell paddy at less than Rs. 11-8-0 a candy. The rates did not stop here. They went on increasing abnormally. When the peti-tioners appealed to the President about the matter they were told that the announcement by beat of tom-tom might be due to some mis-understanding, and the matter would be set right very soon. They were further told that licenses for selling rice would not be issued to others, whereas subsequently, many licenses were issued. They were also told that permission for exporting rice to places outside Mysore Town could not be granted, and this again was cancelled and permission was given to export rice to all places of Mysore. For these reasons, the rates went on higher and higher and thick paddy was sold at Rs. 19/- and Rs, 19-8-0, while the finer kind was sold at Rs. 22/- and Rs. 22-8-0 a candy. The

contract rate for thick rice was only Rs. 12-12-0 and that for fine rice was Rs. 15/-. By thus supplying rice to the Govern--ment at the contract rates, they incurred a loss nearly Rs. 10/- on every palla. At the time when the then Dewan Sahib - - Mr. Banerji, the President, the Food Controller and the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District paid a visit to their Mill, the petitioners humbly pleaded for concession and pointed out the heavy losses they were put to. The Food Controller, the Deputy Commissioner and the President, all of them corroborated this statement and the Dewan Sahib was pleased to tell the petitioners that having an eye to their losses, some concession would be - shown to them. Relying upon this, the petitioners supplied - 7,103¾ pallas of rice. Since no paddy was available in the - markets of the Mysore City, they requested the Dewan Sahib to free them from the obligation to supply the remaining 2,896¼ pallas, and accordingly the remission has been graciously granted. But nothing has been done to lesson the burden of heavy loss of Rs. 10/- a palla on 7,103¾ pallas supplied to the Government. The petitioners have borrowed at heavy interested more than a lac of rupees to fulfil the terms of the contract. Now, on account of the severe losses they have sustained in this transaction, the difficulties they have been put to in meeting the demands of their creditors are beyond all description. They have appealed to you on this same subject several times; and their petitions have not yet been answered. In this same City, some concession was shown to contractors who supplied only 5,000/- pallas and Rs. 5,000/- were given as a sort of compensation for their loss. The peti--tioners have supplied 7,103¾ pallas of rice at great loss to them--selves. They have large families depending upon them and this heavy loss would certainly put them to great hardships. Therefore they humbly pray that you may be pleased to extend your sympathy towards them and show them some concession and grant them some com pensation for the terrible losses they have sustained.

Dated Mysore,
9th January 1920.

The petitioners beg to remain,
Sir,
Your most obedient servants,

G. R. S. VI—G/32]

SUBJECT.....

Diary No. of letter replied to..... Section 200

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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Endorsement

G 1749!

Date of issue 29/1

To, The

Dadiah & C. Dhanjibhoy

Proprietors Sri Kasi-

viswanatha Rice Mill Co.

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With refee to their

petn: dt 9th Jan 1920 praying for payment of

Compensation for loss sustained

by them in connection

over.

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of rice to Gat in Dec 1918,
Messrs Dadiali and
Thomas have informed
the Govt. after a careful consideration of all the circumstances
that the ~~exemption~~ already
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be obligatory to
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agreed upon to
itself a concession
that the Govt. cannot
and their prayer
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